

COMPROMISE ON COTTON FUTURES TAX IS OFFERED

Underwood Introduces
Smith-Lever Measure
in the House.

SENATE EXPECTED TO REJECT BILL

Senator Simmons, in Charge of
Measure in That Body, Says
He Does Not Expect Any
Change in Sentiment.
Action Has Effect
on Market.

Washington, September 27.—Representative Underwood today introduced in the House the Smith-Lever compromise cotton futures tax provision so that it could be printed and read by all members before the conference report comes up for consideration. The provision is that the tax on cotton futures shall be 1 cent per bushel, and the House will next week instruct its conferees to adopt in negotiations with the Senate conferees.

The Smith-Lever compromise retains the tax of one-tenth of 1 cent per pound on all purely speculative cotton trading. This tax, however, would be reduced to the nominal sum of 50 cents for what is known as a "contract" embracing 100 bales of 500 pounds each, in case the contract specifies certain provisions that make it conform rigidly to the government's standard of cotton grading.

Contract Must Specify.

The so-called contract would specify the number of bales of cotton involved in the contract, the price per pound of middling cotton as the basis grade at

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VIRGINIA IN THE LAW AND
EQUITY COURT OF THE CITY OF
RICHMOND, THE 26TH DAY OF
SEPTEMBER, 1913:

E. W. Gates & Son Co., a Corporation, Plaintiff
against
H. P. Humphrey, trading as
H. P. Humphrey & Co., Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to recover judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$10,000, with interest from the 1st day of June, 1913, until paid, and to attach the estate of the said defendant in the city of Richmond, Va., and to subject the same to the payment of the plaintiff's claim, appearing by affidavit filed according to law, that H. P. Humphrey, trading as H. P. Humphrey & Co., the above named defendant, is not a resident of this state. It is therefore ordered that the said H. P. Humphrey, trading as H. P. Humphrey & Co., do appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order, in the clerk's office of our said Law and Equity Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper published in the city of Richmond, Va.

A. C. WINSTON, Clerk.

THOS. B. SNEAD, Jr.,
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE
UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-
ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

In the matter of No. 1150.
J. J. MONROE, In Bankruptcy.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE.
On this 4th day of September, A. D. 1913, on reading the petition for discharge of the bankrupt, it is
Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 29TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1913, before said court, at Richmond, in said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the HONORABLE EDMUND WADDILL, JR., Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in said district, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1913.

JOSEPH P. BRADY, Clerk.

MR. ALBERT O. BOSCHEN, Attorney for Bankrupt.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

In the matter of No. 1250.
CARL T. RITZBERGER, In Bankruptcy.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE.
On this 24th day of September, A. D. 1913, on reading the petition for discharge of the bankrupt, it is
Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 29TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1913, before said court, at Richmond, in said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

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Witness the HONORABLE EDMUND WADDILL, JR., Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in said district, on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1913.

JOSEPH P. BRADY, Clerk.

MR. HOWARD L. ANDERSON, Attorney for Bankrupt.

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which the cotton is contracted to be bought or sold, the date of the purchase or sale and the month in which the contract is to be fulfilled or settled.

The contract also must provide that the cotton mentioned in the contract shall be within the grade limit fixed by the Secretary of Agriculture, which is "within the limit middling fair and good, ordinary, inclusive, on the present existing government standard, and no other grade or grades," and the contract must further provide "that in settlement of such contract by actual delivery of the cotton involved therein, where cotton other than the basic grade is delivered, the difference above or below the contract price which the receiver shall pay for such grades shall be determined as hereinafter provided."

Actual Commercial Differences.

This difference is to be determined according to the further provisions of the amendment by the actual "commercial difference in value" of the different grades of cotton established by bona fide sales of "spot cotton of the same grades," made in actual trade upon the sixth business day prior to the settlement of the contract in the market where the future transaction took place or is consummated.

If there is no spot cotton market at that point, the prevailing price is to be established by securing the general average in five other spot cotton markets, and these markets are restricted to places that shall be designated as bona fide markets by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Simmons Will Not Accept.

Representative Underwood said today that when the tariff conference report is taken up in the House Monday or Tuesday, he will offer the Smith-Lever cotton futures tax plan as an amendment. Senator Simmons later said he did not expect to accept to change his attitude or to accept the compromise, in which case the entire futures tax probably would be dropped out.

Senator Clarke, of Arkansas, was engaged today in seeking support for his amendment and in marshaling forces against the compromise plan.

Conferees Work on Problem.

Conferees from both houses of Congress met today to work on the problem of the cotton futures tax. The conferees from the two houses of Congress met today to work on the problem of the cotton futures tax. The conferees from the two houses of Congress met today to work on the problem of the cotton futures tax.

House Will Instruct for It.

It is expected the House will instruct its conferees to adopt the proposed Smith-Lever compromise, which would require all contracts for future cotton to specify government grades.

The work of the Democratic conferees will be submitted to the Republican members of the conference committee Monday morning for their formal consideration. Thus far the Republican members have had nothing to do with the work of the conference committee.

Market Goes Off.

New York, September 27.—The cotton trade here was thrown into almost a panic today by the news of an unfavorable construction of Washington dispatches relative to the cotton futures tax provision introduced by Representative Underwood.

The dispatches did not reach the trade until after the close of the market, which had made new high records this morning on an excited general buying movement, and many traders had already left the exchange.

Remaining operators, however, attempted to liquidate their cotton privately, and it was rumored that January sold \$100 a ton under the official closing figures.

Mr. Lever Explains.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, D. C., September 27.—Discussing this matter, Representative Lever said:

"Yesterday Leader Underwood today introduced a separate bill the Lever-Burleson-Smith substitute for the tax on cotton futures. The conference of the House and Senate has failed to agree upon this proposition, and it is the intention of Majority Leader Underwood, it is assumed, in introducing this bill, to move that the House concur in the Senate amendment with an amendment, which amendment would be the Lever-Smith-Burleson substitute."

The special difference, in the two propositions, is a difference between destruction and regulation. It is argued by many who have studied the cotton proposition for years that the enforcement of the Clarke amendment would destroy absolutely all of the functions of the cotton exchanges, and would result in monopolizing the cotton market in the hands of a very few powerful buyers and sellers.

The Lever-Burleson-Smith substitute would force the exchanges to adopt the government standards of grades when delivery is made, thereby preventing the manipulation of the market by the uses of essential grades, and preventing, too, the delivery upon the contract of cotton which is undesirable and unprofitable in the hands of manufacturers.

This Congress Must Act.

"If settlement is made on the margins the difference above and below the contract price, which the receiver shall pay for grades above and below the basic grade in the settlement of a

contract, shall be determined by the actual commercial difference in value as fixed by bona fide sales of spot of the same grades made in the course of actual trade. A contract which conforms to these conditions under the Lever-Burleson-Smith proposal, would be taxed at the rate of 50 cents per hundred bales, while any other contract for any other grade of cotton than those standardized by the government, or where settlement was made in any other manner than that provided in the Clarke amendment would attach automatically 'insistence upon the Clarke amendment may defeat any legislation.'"

"There is no doubt that the modification of the amendment which provides for such regulation and government control, as will guarantee a fair contract for all parties concerned, will force the adoption of the government standards and minimize to the limit irresponsible dealing in future contracts, will meet the approval of those who have given years of study to this question and recognize the useful functions of the exchanges when the abuses are eliminated. So much so as to amount to dereliction of duty almost, for this Congress, when the question is before it to refuse to legislate at all on this matter. This is the psychological moment to deal with this in a fundamental and constructive way. I have every confidence in the success of the substitute."

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The Weather.

Forecast: Virginia—Fair in north, unsettled in south portion Sunday; Monday fair, warmer in interior; light to moderate east winds.

North Carolina—Generally fair Sunday; Monday; light to moderate northeast to east winds.

Special Local Data for Yesterday.

12 noon temperature..... 66
3 P. M. temperature..... 68
Maximum temperature up to 8

P. M. temperature..... 71
Minimum temperature..... 62
P. M. temperature..... 62

Mean temperature..... 68
Deficiency in temperature..... 67
Deficiency in temperature since

accumulated excess in temperature since January 1..... 256
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1..... 45
Accumulated deficiency in rainfall since January 1..... 2.55

Local Observations 8 P. M. Yesterday.

Temperature..... 62
Barometer..... 30.04
Wind—direction..... S. E.
Wind—velocity..... 2
Weather..... Cloudy

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.)

Place..... H. T. L. T. Weather.

Asheville..... 74 54 P. cloudy
Atlanta..... 74 58 Clear
Birmingham..... 66 68 Clear

Boston..... 66 68 Clear
Buffalo..... 56 62 50 Clear
Chicago..... 56 62 50 Clear

Charlotte..... 74 50 P. cloudy
Cincinnati..... 60 60 52 Clear
Cleveland..... 60 60 52 Clear

Duluth..... 54 58 34 P. cloudy
Galveston..... 76 78 74 Cloudy
Hatteras..... 70 78 72 Clear

Hayward..... 76 78 74 Cloudy
Jacksonville..... 76 84 72 Clear
Kansas City..... 64 66 50 Cloudy

Louisville..... 60 60 52 Clear
Lynchburg..... 62 78 62 Cloudy
Montgomery..... 76 82 70 P. cloudy

New Orleans..... 76 80 76 Rain
New York..... 62 68 56 Clear
Norfolk..... 68 72 64 Clear

Okla. City..... 68 72 64 Clear
Pittsburgh..... 58 64 56 Rain
Raleigh..... 72 80 64 P. cloudy

St. Louis..... 64 68 48 P. cloudy
St. Paul..... 64 68 40 Clear
San Francisco..... 62 68 58 Clear

Savannah..... 78 84 64 Cloudy
Spokane..... 78 84 64 Clear
Tampa..... 78 88 76 Clear

Washington..... 60 68 52 P. cloudy
Winnipeg..... 64 68 44 Clear
Wytheville..... 62 68 58 Cloudy

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

September 28.

HIGH TIDE:
Sun rises..... 6:03
Sun sets..... 6:59

LOW TIDE:
Moon rises..... 3:31
Moon sets..... 4:16

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BECAUSE it is a six-cylinder car, and equipped with the wanted streamline body, the HUDSON Six 54 is a good investment.

It will give you all you can desire of motor satisfaction. And will retain a used-car value sufficient to hold your annual motor-car outlay at a low figure.

For bear in mind that depreciation in selling value of your car is more important to consider than even tire and gasoline expense.

Remember that a popular, stylish car is easy to turn into money. And that no buyer will pay for a "back number."

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It has 135-inch wheel-base, 36x4½-inch tires, and all approved conveniences and luxuries.

Many have called it the handsomest automobile they ever saw.

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So easy is its control that a child may drive it.

And because of its simplicity and convenience many women prefer it to the electric car.

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FAMOUS NECKLACE SOLD

Jewelry Recently Picked Up on Sidewalk Brings \$700,000.

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